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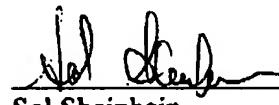
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positioning said flareable stent in a vessel;  
allowing said flareable portion to flare;  
directing said flareable stent to an edge of said vessel using said  
flareable portion;  
expanding said flareable stent.

REMARKS

Examination of the new claims introduced above is respectfully  
requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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